

**WYOMING WORKERS' SAFETY AND COMPENSATION  
PREAUTHORIZATION CHECK SHEET  
ROTATOR CUFF REPAIR  
SHOULDER**

**Claimant:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Case Number:** \_\_\_\_\_ **DOI:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Surgeon:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Phone Number:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Contact:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Date of Review:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Reviewer:** \_\_\_\_\_  
*Compensability should NOT be in question at the time of preauthorization for this procedure.*

I. Conservative Care:

Acute case:

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| a. Anti inflammatories.                                                        | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| b. Rest.                                                                       | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| c. Failure to improve with conservative care in 1 to 3 weeks <u>or</u> longer. | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |

II. Clinical Findings:

Subjective

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| a. Shoulder pain. | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
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Objective

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| a. May or may not have a weak or absent abduction, and/or                                    | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| b. Tenderness over rotator cuff, and/or                                                      | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| c. Pain relief obtained with an injection of anesthetic for<br>diagnostic/therapeutic trial. | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |

Imaging

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| a. Positive findings on arthrogram.                         | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| b. Positive findings on MRI.                                | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| c. Positive findings on ultrasound. <b>OR</b>               | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| d. Positive findings on previous arthroscopy, if performed. | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |

Approved/Nurse name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Sent for Peer review/Doctor: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Notes: \_\_\_\_\_  
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